
SENATE BILL No. 445

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-10-10-12.

Synopsis: CHOICE and Medicaid waivers. Provides that funds appropriated for the community and home options to institutional care for the elderly and disabled (CHOICE) program: (1) do not revert to the general fund; and (2) may only be used for CHOICE services. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to fully fund every Medicaid home and community based waiver slot approved by the federal government.

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 14, 2002, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2001 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-10-10-12 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 12. Funds appropriated to the**
4 **division to provide services under this chapter do not revert to the**
5 **state general fund at the close of any fiscal year but remain**
6 **available to the division until the purpose for which the funds were**
7 **appropriated is fulfilled.**

8 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a)
9 **Notwithstanding P.L.291-2001, SECTION 7:**

10 **(1) the division of disability, aging, and rehabilitative services**
11 **established by IC 12-9-1-1 may use money appropriated to the**
12 **division for C.H.O.I.C.E./In-Home Services only to provide**
13 **services under IC 12-10-10; and**

14 **(2) the office of Medicaid policy and planning established by**
15 **IC 12-8-6-1 shall provide the nonfederal share of the Medicaid**
16 **aged and disabled waiver from funds appropriated to the**
17 **office.**



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1 **(b) This SECTION expires July 1, 2008.**

2 SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] **The office of**
3 **Medicaid policy and planning established by IC 12-8-6-1 shall fully**
4 **fund every Medicaid home and community based waiver slot**
5 **approved by the federal government from funds appropriated to**
6 **the office.**

7 SECTION 4. **An emergency is declared for this act.**

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